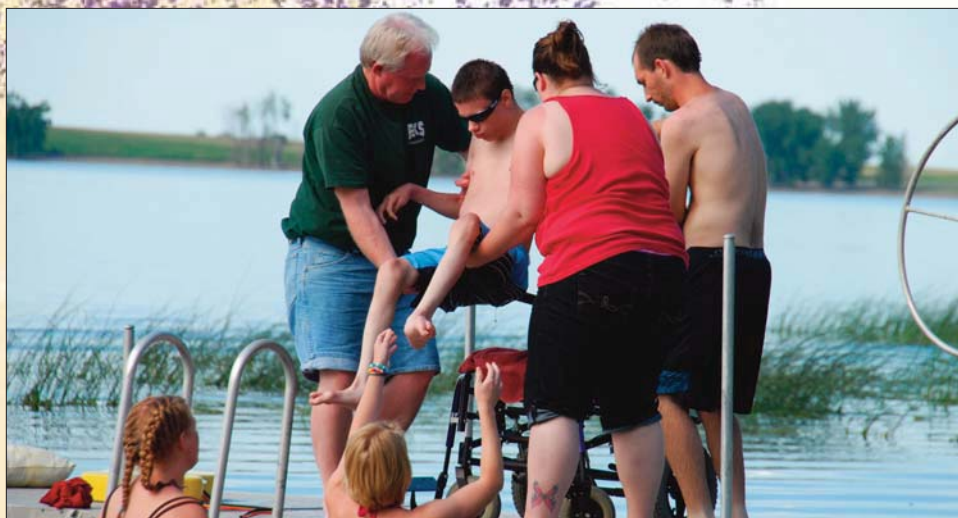


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FOR ANNE CARLSEN CENTER FAMILIES



Adam finishes up a swim in Lake Isabel during TechnoCamp at Elks Camp Grassick.

Fun in the Sun



Chris shoots a basketball during some free time in between camp sessions at Elks Camp Grassick.

Elks Camp Grassick

Students from the Anne Carlsen Center and from around the state of North Dakota enjoyed a week of fun and learning at Elks Camp Grassick last week during TechnoCamp. A total of 27 campers participated in this year's camp.

These teens enjoyed tradi-

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Anna and Eau Claire's Becca Lentz begin working on a VBS art project.

Teens donate time, love to ACC

Nearly five dozen high school students from Eau Claire, Wisc., and Jamestown donated over 700 hours in June to the Anne Carlsen Center in one of the largest church volunteering efforts in the Anne Carlsen Center's rich and storied history.

Teens from Jamestown's Victory Lutheran Brethren

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tional camp activities such as swimming in a lake, campfires and hayrides, while also using assistive technology to create their own art, music, photos, podcasts and more. Photos and more information will be available online at www.annecenter.org, as well as in the upcoming edition of The Ambassador.

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Church and Eau Claire met at the church in the mornings, discussing various aspects of faith and receiving theological training. In the afternoons, they traveled to the Center's campus and volunteered their time and efforts.

Church groups that would like to volunteer with the Anne Carlsen Center can contact Pastor JoAnne Moeller toll free at 1-800-568-5175. More information about ACC is available online at www.annecenter.org.

If you have a story idea you would like to see appear in the Nurture Circle or other ACC publications, please send your ideas to kalen.ost@annecenter.org



Senator Byron Dorgan talks with Austin, an ACC student, and his family during a recent visit to the ACC Jamestown Campus.

Dorgan Visits ACC Campus

Sen. Bryon Dorgan, D-N.D., paid a visit on June 20 to the ACC Jamestown Campus to learn more about the Center's flood fight. Dorgan made the stop before attending a regional flood meeting at the Law Enforcement Center in Jamestown.

Sen. Dorgan, along with other lawmakers, is examining the lessons learned during the flooding in Jamestown and how to apply those lessons, in the future, to permanent flood protection. Anne Carlsen Center CEO Dan Howell says he will be working with Sen. Dorgan's staff to

help identify the needs at ACC, which will become part of a comprehensive plan for the entire James River Basin.

While Dorgan was on the ACC Campus, he spent some time visiting with students and staff, and learning about the Center's flood fight and 80-day evacuation.

"He was very impressed with the Center's response to the flood ... and absolutely amazed by the countless ways the community embraced us," says Howell.

look in the upcoming Ambassador to see how Disney and the American Red Cross partnered in giving a special gift to students from the Anne Carlsen Center during the flood of 2009.